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## WITH THE LIBERALS AT THE HELM GREAT BRITAIN HAS IMMENSE SURPLUS

### Chancellor of the Exchequer Asquith Presents his First Budget Which is Said to Favor the Great Middle Class---Government Commits Itself to Reduction of the National Debt and Reinstatement of the Country's Credit---Deficit of Quarter of a Million Turned Into Surplus of Twenty Seven Millions.

Associated Press Dispatch.

London, April 18.—In a house crowded in every part and with the Prince of Wales among the listening people, the Chancellor of the Exchequer, Herbert Asquith, in an able two hours' speech to-day, delivered the budget. If not rivalling the great financial achievements of his famous predecessors, Gladstone and Harcourt, the statement has the merit of extreme simplicity in its main features. Judging by the debate which followed, it will meet with a larger degree of general approval and less sectional antagonism than usually falls to the lot of budget statements.

**Labor Party's Objection.**

The most persistent complaint emanates from the extreme section of the Labor party, which is disappointed at the postponement of the pension scheme and the absence of any direct relief in the taxation of the working classes. James K. Hardie frankly calls it a brutal budget, and declared his belief that the government has no intention of dealing with the question during its lifetime, but purposes to reserve it as an effective election plank, when it become necessary to go to the country.

**A "Middle-Class Budget."**

That there is some foundation for the complaints of the working classes may be regarded from the fact that in the lobbies of the House the statement was generally classed as a "middle class budget." Mr. Asquith had the rare good fortune of dealing with a year of unusual prosperity in national finances. The national debt is being reduced rapidly, and in this connection the Chancellor of the Exchequer announced that the government held it as an obligation to "reinstate" and improve the national credit.

**Main Features.**

Briefly instead of an estimated deficit of $230,000 for 1906-07, Mr. Asquith realised a surplus of $26,995,000, while for 1907-8 he estimates the surplus at $17,165,000. His proposals are not for a reduction in indirect taxation, but to provide relief from the burden of the income tax by preferential treatment of earned incomes below $10,000 a year to the extent of six cents for every five dollars. To compensate for the loss from this measure he proposes that the death duties be increased.

The chancellor promises an old-age pension scheme for next year, and sets aside $7,500,000 for this purpose.

The unusually brief debate which followed Mr. Asquith's statement was devoid of any particularly interesting features.

**Millions of Surplus.**

The financial statement issued by the treasury in advance of the chancellor's speech informed the people that the realised surplus for 1906-7 was $26,955,000, which in accordance with the law would be devoted to the reduction of the public debt. Mr. Asquith estimated the expenditure for 1907-8 at $703,783,000.

**Result of Taxes.**

The revenue on the existing basis of taxation was estimated to be $720,850,000. The permanent reduction of the national debt for 1906-07 was announced to be $68,750,000.

Mr. Asquith opened his speech with a brief review of the past year, pointing out that with the exception of the stock markets, which suffered from the money stringency, trade at home and abroad had been remarkably flourishing.

**Treasury Receipts.**

Treasury receipts were over $16,000,000 in excess of the estimates. The chancellor, in accounting for $6,000,000 of this sum, said the balance was made up by increased receipts from the coal duty and silver. The latter were due to an increased demand for coinage account, increased state of trade, and the large amount of silver required for varied purposes in connection with the general elections. The latter remark reminded the House of numerous references to annual elections on account of alleged bribery, and called forth some laughter.

**Reduction in Duties Affecting Revenue.**

As a whole, the revenue returns, the chancellor added, had not shown great elasticity, and in view of the undoubted prosperous state of trade they were distinctly disappointing. The reduction in the tea duty in the last budget had been followed by increased consumption, amounting to 4,500,000 pounds. The revenue on tobacco had not realized expectations, and there had been a progressive, formidable decline in the revenue from the alcohol group since 1899 until last year.

As chancellor of the exchequer, Mr. Asquith was glad to say that there were signs of a definite reaction, and the present year had furnished an increase of £2,470,000 on these receipts.

**Telephones Affect Postal Revenue.**

Continuing, the chancellor said there had been a falling off in the revenue from stamps owing to the slackness of operations on the stock exchange and the fact that the telephone was superseding letters.

Turning to the financial year of 1907-8 the chancellor estimated the expenditure of $703,785,000, showing a reduction of $8,320,000, compared with 1906-7. He hoped the reduction would be continuous and progressive.

On the existing basis of taxation, the revenue for the forthcoming year was estimated at $720,950,000, showing an estimated surplus $17,165,000.

**National Debt Greatly Reduced.**

Discussing the liabilities of the state, the chancellor announced amidst cheers that the permanent reduction of the national debt in the course of 1906-07 amounted to $68,750,000.

He estimated that during the year the nucleus of the national debt would be reduced by $85,000,000, and that a fund for the relief of necessitous old age would be formed. In addition to the $7,500,000 net set aside there would be $3,500,000 of uncollected arrears of this year's income tax, making a total of $11,250,000. The chancellor relied confidently on further economy in the expenditure and counted on the support of the House and the government in this direction.

**The Liberals' Policy.**

Dealing with the lines by which the Liberal administration proposed to direct the finance of the country during the next few years, the chancellor said: "We are under the immediate obligation of reinstating and improving the national credit."

During the recent fall in gilt-edged securities, the chancellor said that consols were still the premier security. The existing conditions were largely the result of unliquidated commitments and constituted a serious embarrassment, not only to the government, but to the community at large.

**Social Reform Needed.**

The further reduction of the national debt was the paramount duty of the government, but behind all that was the unconquered territory of social reforms.

"I am not a socialist," the chancellor remarked, "but there is nothing which appeals to us so loudly and imperiously as the possibility of social reform."

**Old Age Pensions.**

In regard to old age pensions, the chancellor said he would not commit himself to any scheme for the purpose. Everything must be done by steps. But in behalf of the government he declared that in the sphere of finance, the ministers regarded old age pensions as being the most serious and most urgent of all the demands for social reform.

It is their hope and intention before the close of next session of parliament, if they were allowed to have their way, to lay a firm foundation for this reform.

**Income Taxes.**

The tax on tea remains unchanged, but there will be a different action hereafter in the taxation upon earned and unearned incomes. A rebate of six cents in the pound sterling will be allowed on the income tax on earned incomes under $10,000 a year. He estimated the loss in differentiation of the income tax at $6,250,000. A revision of the death duties to make up the loss on the income tax was suggested.

**No Further Reduction of Taxes.**

Finally the chancellor said that if the objects of the government, namely, the strengthening of the national credit, and the creation of a fund for social reform, were to be carried out, he could not do anything involving a permanent diminution of the revenue. He was satisfied that a further reduction in the duty on tea by two cents would not affect the consumer, and he did not propose to make any change this year in indirect taxation.

**Will Differentiate in Incomes.**

The chancellor intended, however, to deal indirectly with the income tax, which in its present shape worked unjustly. Earned incomes under $10,000 a year would hereafter only pay eighteen cents, while the existing tax of twenty-four cents on the pound sterling on earned incomes would remain. The reduction would be in addition to all the present rebates, but it would be confined to the earned incomes of persons of whose total income from all sources did not exceed $10,000.

In conclusion, the chancellor, after making all deductions, said he had a disposable surplus of $9,165,000, and he proposed to keep $1,665,000 for emergencies. The remaining $7,500,000 would be invested in the sinking fund, and set aside for old age pensions, etc.

## CREATE FIVE NEW K. C.'S IN ALBERTA

### Government Confers This Honor on Three Edmonton and two Calgary Barristers.

It is announced today that the government of Alberta has conferred the honor of King's Counsel upon a number of legal practitioners in the province. The names of the gentlemen concernd ar as follows:—

R. B. Bennett, K.C., Calgary; Jas. Short, K.C., Calgary; William Short, K.C., Edmonton; C. de Wolfe Macdonald, K.C., Edmonton; and J. C. F. Bown, K.C., Edmonton.

**RAVAGES OF THE PLAGUE.**

**Heavy Death List for Second Week in April.**

Simla, India, April 18.—There were 70,000 deaths from the plague in India during the week ending April 13. Seventy thousand of these occurred in Bengal, the United provinces and the Punjab. The epidemic began in the Punjab in October, 1897. Since then nearly a million and a half deaths have occurred.

**IRON INDUSTRY FOR PRINCE ALBERT.**

Prince Albert, Sask., April 18—Deposits of the best iron in the world are situated 250 miles north of this city and a company is now being organized to develop the mines. A branch railway will be run to the mines.

A meeting of the members of the Edmonton brass band and all musicians who wish to become members of it, will be held at the Thistle rink on Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

**TALKED WITH JURORS.**

**Report That Policeman "Approached" One of the Thaw Twelve.**

Associated Press Despatch.

New York, April 18—It was announced today that the district attorney had begun the investigation of the report that one of the jurors in the trial of Harry K. Thaw was "approached" by a policeman before the trial closed. Harry B. Reilly, Thaw's counsel, had an interview with District Attorney Jerome late today at the latter's office. Later it was announced that several others of the Thaw jurors would be asked to come to the district attorney's office tomorrow to tell what they knew of the report in question. It was reported that a policeman talked with a juror on one of the walks the jury took from the criminal courts building to the Broadway Central hotel.

## ELECTROCUTED AT MIDNIGHT

### Dayton Physician Goes to Chair for Murder of his Parents and Brother.

Associated Press Despatch.

Columbus, Ohio, April 18—Dr. Oliver C. Haugh, the Dayton physician, was electrocuted at midnight tonight for the murder of his parents and his brother on Nov. 1, 1905.

The Haugh home at Dayton was burned and the bodies of the elder Hs ugh, his wife and son were found. Haugh's defence was insanity, but he was declared legally sane. It was brought out, however, that he was addicted to the use of a drug known as hyoscyiene, hydro-bromate.. Attempts were made also to connect him with the murder of several women in Cincinnati, who were mysteriously strangled.

## PREMIER TO MEET 'VARSITY GRADS

### Who are Eligible as Members of Convocation Sometime During This Year.

Premier Rutherford stated today that it was his desire to meet some time during the present year an assembly of all university graduates in the city or in the province of Alberta who are eligible as members of convocation.

The premier is daily in receipt of inquiries from those interested in university organization as to what the government proposes to do along these lines. To facilitate the discussion of questions pertaining to the university, and to come into more direct touch with those who are entitled to be members of convocation the premier will be pleased to meet thm in Edmonton or any other place in the province.

The premier would, however, prefer that the meeting should not take place until his return from England, where he will attend the educational congress of the empire. He sails from Montreal by the Empress of Ireland on May 17th, and will not return until the middle of July.

**A. O. U. W. EXPELLED FROM OHIO.**

**Affairs of the Order Now in Hands of Two Receivers.**

Columbus, Ohio, April 18—The Ancient Order of United Workmen was today ousted from the state on the petition of Attorney General Ellis. Its affairs in Ohio were ordered placed in the hands of W. D. McKenzie and Alfred Roever, as receivers, their bonds being fixed at $2,500.

Frank O'Dyer, formerly owner of the Senate cigar store, and poolroom in partnership with E. F. Hagen, arrived in the city yesterday after spending the winter at his home at Strathroy and other Ontario points, on account of poor health. On his return to Edmonton he visited all the bigger centres west of Winnipeg, but at none of them was the same business seirirty noticeable as at the Alberta capital. His former partner, Mr. Hagen, will likely open out in business at Saskatoon.

## AWAIT ONLY CONFIRMATION

### Of Appointment of Postmen Before Carrier Service is Inaugurated in City.

Preparations are now completed for the inauguration of the new carrier letter and paper delivery in Edmonton and all that remains is the approval at Ottawa of the applicants for the positions of carriers of which there will be seven.

To the Bulletin this forenoon Postmaster May said that only a very small percentage of the mail now received at the city office is addressed to the street and number of the house of the person to whom it is directed. Till this is done the work of delivery will be difficult to perform properly as it will require much time for the post office clerks to ascertain the addresses.

Along this line the postmaster desires to impress on every citizen who wishes to avail himself of the carrier service the necessity of having all his correspondence addressed to his residence.

It is also desired that merchants who send out a large number of monthly accounts should endeavor to get the complete addresses of their customers. At present many letters are weekly rturned as uncalled for, pincipally due to the fact that it is impossible to locate the persons to whom they are directed.

If these requests are complied with Postmaster May is confidant that the new service will be very satisfactory to the citizens generally and greatly expedite the work of the post office officials.

**Bribed Police Officer.**

New York, April 18—Benedict Gimbel, a member of Gimbel Bros., proprietors of one of the largest departmental stores of Philadelphia, was arrested here today, and on being arraigned was held on the double charge of improper conduct and attempted bribery of a police officer. The latter complaint was preferred at the instance of the district attorney's office, after Gimbel had been taken into custody.

**Earthquake at Manilla.**

Manilla, April 18—Two severe earthquake shocks were felt here this morning; no damage is reported.

## COMMISSION MUST DECIDE

### As to Whether C.P.R.'s Application for Spur Conflicts With G. T. P.'s Priviliges.

It is improbable that the city will take any action on the letter recently received from the railway commission calling attention to the application of the Calgary and Edmonton railway to construct a branch line in the city, crossing 11th, 12th, 13th, 14th, 15th and 16th streets.

As the matter now stands the G. T. P. have exclusive switching privileges west of Tenth street and south of McKenzie. Whether the privileges asked for by the C. P. R. would conflict, the commissioners do not think it is the business of the city to decide. In their opinion the city should let the question go to the railway commission for a decision.

A similar letter received from the commission by the secretary of the board of trade will also be a subject of discussion at the next monthly meeting of the board of trade.

**CONFESSES THEFT OF $16,000.**

Wilmington, N.C., April 18.—The mystery concerning the disappearance of $10,000 in currency in transit by mail from this city to New York was cleared up to-day by the arrest of Edward A. Nelson, 27 years old, of the railway mail service. Nelson made a complete confession. Most of the money was found under Nelson's house here, where he had buried it.

The fortnightly dance of the Braemar social circle will be held to-night in Rennie's academy.

## DEMANDED DISMISSAL OF TWO NON-STRIKERS

### Morinville Miners Would Not Return to Work Unless the Demand was Acceded to---Settlement Reached Provides for Only Slight Wage Increases---C.N.R. Saved From Tie-up.

At a conference held last night in the Victoria hotel, Morinville, between Contractors Hodson and Albertson, of the Morinville mines, and the striking miners an agreement was reached and the men are back at work today.

As a result of the agreement two of the miners who remained at work, refusing to join the strikers when they went out a week ago, have been dismissed. This was one of the conditions of the settlement and a point on which the strikers would not yield.

"Will any provision be made for men who remained faithful to the company?" asked the Bulletin representative when speaking to the contractors of the settlement.

"We shall look after them," was the reply, "and see that they do not suffer as the result of what they have done for us."

The Canadian Northern Railway, who get all the coal for their engines on the western line from these mines, are saved from the probability of a tie up of their service which was seriously threatened during the past week. Today they have received three cars and the mines will be able to turn out ten cars or about three hundred tons daily in future.

There were about seventy five miners out for a week as the result of the strike.

At the meeting last night about forty were present. The terms agreed upon were as follows:—

The men shall receive thirty cents a car, the same as formerly.

The price of cross-cutting shall be increased from fifty cents to $1 per yard and five cents a yard shall be paid for excavating the bones between the coal seams.

Where miners have to push cars over a listance of 250 feet to the coal dump they will be paid 50 cents a yard in addition to the regular 30 cents a yard for mining the coal.

## A FATAL FIRE IN MONTREAL

### Two Burned to Death and Several Injured as Result of Blaze in Laundry.

Associated Press Despatch.

Montreal, April 18—Two were burned to death and several were badly injured this afternoon by a fire in the Canada steam laundry, St. Justin street.

The seriously injured are:—

Mrs. P. Giroux, 46 years of age, 166 Versailles street. She jumped from an upper window and besides injuries received in the fall was frightfully burned from head to foot. It is expected that she will not survive.

Mrs. Albertine Peradis, 32 years of age, 57a, Sanguinet street, jumped and missed the life net. Her face was burned and her right arm fractured.

Mrs. Victoria Daigle, 39 years of age, 191 Wolfe street, broke her right ankle.

Mrs. Jean Benefeant, 39 years of age, 2 Borgeious avenue, severe burns on face and back.

Miss A. Proulex, 30 years of age, 299 Montcalm street, hands and face burned and several ribs broken.

The slightly injurd were: Miss Ana Etienne, Ontario st., burns on back and left arm; Miss Velve McKercher, St. Christopher, right arm fractured and face burned. Miss Georgina Lavigne, Ratchet street, face burned. Miss Marie Rodgier, suffering from shock.

The fire itself was a comparatively trivial affair, the most liberal estimate of the damages not exceeding $30,000, but the flames spread with such tremendous rapidity that none of the thirty odd people in the building had a moment to think before they were either saved or cut off.

The buildings were used by the Canada Steam Laundry and Dyeing company, and in their cleaning operations they used large quantities of benzine which is almost as dangerous as dynamite. It was in the cleaning room that the fire originated.

Mr. Deschaux, the proprietor, with an assistant, was operating a rotary machine, used to clean clothes. He noticed that the machine was leaking, the benzine running onto the cement floor. As the room was very hot Deschaux at once realised the danger and stopped the machine to try to locate the leak. Before he could do anything the liquid had burst into flames, apparently from spontaneous combustion.

The city health department are issuing notices to all householders who are situated on water and sewer mains.

## ANNIVERSARY OF 'FRISCO QUAKE

### Remarkable Rehabilitation of the Golden Gate City.

Associated Press Despatch.

San Francisco, April 18—The first anniversary of the earthquake and fire which left this city in ruins was observed today by appropriate religious services and commemorative exercises by the building trades' council and other organizations.

The chief event was a banquet by the Merchants' association at the Hotel Fairmont, at which the material and civic regeneration of the city were discussed.

President Frank J. Symmes, of the association, was toast master, and addressed the guests on "The City and the Merchants." He said in part:—

'Insurance companies of the world were called upon as never before. Loss claims were filed for $225,000,000 and of this sum $13,650,000 was against two San Francisco companies. One of these companies assessed its stockholders—fifty per cent. of whom were residents in San Francisco—three times its capital. The other, having ninety per cent. of its capital held in this city, assessed its stockholders six and three-fourth times its capital. Such an example of corporation honor the world has never before known. Would that the rest of the world had done as well. The insurance loss will never be known. Two hundred and fifty mil-

"From a building point of view," he continued, we are rapidly recovering; our progress has been creditable and satisfactory, and no man need fear the future in this direction. Building permits to April first, 1907, have been issued to the extent of $655,076,756. The labor commissioner reports a wage payment of a million a week.

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# STRATHCONA NEWS

## C. & E. RAILWAY MAY BE TIED UP

### Alarming Report Current in Strathcona That Line may be Without Coal in 36 Hours.

An alarming report was current in Strathcona last evening that the Calgary and Edmonton railway had only sufficient coal to last for thirty-six hours owing to the strike that is now existing in the southern mines. Should such be the case Strathcona and Edmonton at a critical junction in the spring, would be without direct communication with the south and inestimable loss would be the result in thus preventing the incoming of immigrants and freight to this district.

Enquiry made at the local office of the C. P. R. failed to elicit any further information but it was suggested that other means might be utilized should there be trouble in providing the necessary motive power.

In the meantime the public will await with anxious expectancy the result of the southern labor troubles and hope for their speedy settlement.

### THE STRATHCONA STATION.

There is considerable speculation as to the location of the new $60,000 station which it is the intention of the C. P. R. to erect at Strathcona this summer. A number of engineers are now in the city, but nothing has definitely been stated by them. The general opinion, however, is that the new structure will be erected a short distance south of the present one.

### TO ADVERTISE THE CITY.

A number of proposals have been before the publicity committee of the board of trade for advertising the city. Several local publications and the Winnipeg Free Press have been foremost in presenting their claims, but it was decided by the committee to refer the matter to the council of the board for decision.

### LOCALS.

Letters received from Rev. D. Fleming intimate that he is beginning now to feel the benefits of his enforced holiday.

On Sunday in Knox church the pulpit will be occupied by Mr. Fullerton, Edmonton, in the morning, and in the evening by Rev. Dr. Macdonald.

A sidewalk has been completed along the street in front of the public hospital, and now going and coming to that frequently visited institution is much easier.

D. L. Campbell, who has the contract for transferring the dredge of the Clark Dredging Co. to White Mud Creek, received an ugly but not serious injury on the head while lifting a part of the machinery from a railway car.

The laying of the corner stone of the new Knox church has been finally fixed for Monday, April 29th, a week from the coming Monday. The program will be an important one, embracing music by the choir of the church and a number of distinguished gentlemen, who will give addresses. The time will be 1.30 p.m.

## WANT FRANCHISE RESTORED THEM

### Indians From Brant Reserve Interview Mr. Whitney--Recently Saw Mr. Oliver.

Toronto, April 18.—A deputation of Indians from the Six Nations reserve, near Brantford, waited upon Prim Minister Whitney recently and asked that the franchise be restored to them. They have now neither municipal nor other vote, these privileges having been taken away from them by a change in the Act. An Indian off the reserve is allowed to vote, and this is looked upon as discriminary. They were introduced by Mr. J. H. Fisher, M.P.P., and Mr. Whitney promised that the matter should have his closest attention, although it is too late for action at the present session.

The deputation consisted of Messrs. Jacob Miller, William Davis, Walter Davis, L. Roy Hill, Edward Davis and David S. Hill. The same men have waited upon the Hon. Frank Oliver at Ottawa, asking the Government to give them the right to use the elective system in the selection of chiefs. The request was very favorably considered. While in Ottawa they got a letter endorsing their attitude on the question of political franchise, signed by their representatives, Messrs. Cockshutt and Lawlor, and by sixteen other members of Parliament. This they brought to Toronto and handed to Mr. Whitney.

The reserve is in Brant and Haldimand counties. There are 4,400 people there, representing 1,135 votes.

### AT THE OPERA.

A crowded house greeted the Summers Stock company Wednesday evening in the opera house. "My Old Kentucky Home" held the boards. The scene of the play is laid in old Kentucky in the troublous times of the civil war in the home of Judge Carlisle, under whose direction a band of Kentucky Independents were organized to aid the Confederate cause. The play is full of many tense and dramatic situations which follow in too close succession, requiring very sudden transitions and making unusual demands upon the actors. The play also has too much declamation, and gives a temptation to both Miss Stevenson and Mr. Burke to parade their elocutionary talent. The action of the play is too rapid to have much time for declamation. Apart from this criticism the players did well. Miss Stevenson did some really strong work, while Miss Stanley, as Gay Carlisle, was a strong competitor for the appreciation of the audience. Miss Naiel as usual succeeded admirably in playing a most detestable role. Chas. K. Morse, as Pat, contributed his quota of genuine Irish fun. Mr. Summers, as the war correspondent, as usual came in for a generous measure of applause, both from the nature of his part and from the mixture of humor and earnestness in his acting.

"My Wife's Family" is the title of a merry musical comedy conceit written by Stephens and Linton, which comes to the Opera House, Monday and Tuesday next. This farce met with immediate success when presented last season and is duplicating that success again this year wherever seen. The story, which is a clever one, tells of the trials and tribulations of a young married man endeavoring to rid himself of his mother-in-law and his wife's relatives. He resorts to everything except murder to accomplish that purpose, and as can be imagined the many mixups and funny complications which ensue furnish plenty of ludicrous situations and laughable scenes. The cast employed in the interpretation of the merry musical melange is one of the best en tour, including as it does some of the best farceurs on the comedy stage.

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# AROUND THE CITY

## LOCALS.

Edmonton encampment No. 2, I. O. O. F., meets this evening.

Rev. Dr. Lyle, of Hamilton, one of the most celebrated preachers of eastern Canada, will preach in the First Presbyterian church on Sunday, April 28th.

Auguste Levecque, a man 60 years of age, who arrived in the city a few days ago from British Columbia, was entered as a patient yesterday at the general hospital.

Excavation work was commenced this morning for a large addition to the Bellamy company's implement warehouse at the corner of Howard and Rice streets.

A horse being driven over the bridge erected at the new post office excavation for loading the drays, fell over the side this morning, a distance of about ten feet, but was not seriously injured.

The rehearsal for the Pirates of Penzance will be held tonight in All Saints school room at half past eight, instead of in the rink, as previously arranged. This rehearsal is for both chorus and orchestra.

Pastor Huestis of McDougall Methodist church, has been confined to the house all week with la grippe, to be able to take the service on He is now on the mend and expects Sunday.

No expense is being spared to make the coming production of "The Pirates of Penzance" both an artistic and music success. Two complete sets of scenery have been specially painted, and costumes are being procured from New York.

Mr. W. J. Southam, secretary of the Y. M. C. A. at Hong Kong, will deliver a lecture to young men in the Edmonton opera house on Sunday afternoon at 4.15 p.m. In the evening Mr. Southam will conduct the services in McDougall church.

The plan for the Pirates of Penzance will be opened at Archibald's drug store tomorrow (Saturday) to members of the Operatic society and of the guarantee committee, and on Monday to the general public. Reserved seats $1 and 75 cents, general admission 50 cents.

Mr. T. Knatchbull Hugessen, of Montreal, electrical and mechanical consulting engineer, has arrived in the city and has decided to locate in Edmonton. He has been employed with the Montreal heat and power plant and is an expert on gas producer plants.

Permits for a number of small dwellings were taken out at the office of the building inspector this forenoon. Thece were as follows: Mike hekabek. Kinistino, $600; M. J. Warner, Namayo, $300; F. Erlain. River, $200; K. K. Pfeifle, Wilson, $800; Edmund Laimen, Donald, $400; W. A. Logan, Donald, $1,000; Miss Baird, Fourteenth, $400.

The regular semi-weekly change of program at the Bijou theatre went into effect at the afternoon performances yesterday. Jack O'Toole will sing "Ain't You Coming Out Tonight Mary Ann. Georgie Franklin sings at each of the evening performances. Among the moving pictures deserving of mention is a series illustrating the faithfulness and affection of the Indian for his white friend.

J. A. Peterson, of El Paso, Texas, arrived in the city last night on a visit to his brother, Charles. Mr. Peterson intends taking up land and becoming a permanent resident here in the fall. He says across the line the genuine spring weather has come to stay, but yesterday's snowfall appears to have been general all over Alberta, as there was quite a downfall of the beautiful as far south as Clareholm.

At the meeting of the young men of McDougall church last night a debate tok place on the question of taxing bachelors. The affirmative was supported by Messrs. J. D. Blayney and Kingston, and the negative by Messrs. Leonard and Pace. The subsequent vote was largely in favor of the negative. The next meeting will be the last of th season and will take the form of a social evening.

"Dora Thorne" will hold the boards at the Edmonton opera house this evening. The Summers Stock company will conclude their two weeks engagement in Edmonton on Saturday evening, presenting on that occasion Al Wilson's celebrated play, "A Prince of Tatters." On Saturday afternoon the company will repeat at the matinee "Mrs. Temple's Telegram." Mr. Summers will play the congenial role of Happy Hooligan.

## PERSONAL.

J. H. Menzies, of Red Deer, was a city visitor on Wednesday.

R. V. Bogley, of Lacombe, was at the Castle on Wednesday.

F. Gibbs, of Sedgewick, registered at the Pendennis on Wednesday.

H. Olin, J.P., bridge inspector at Wetaskiwin, is spending a few days in Edmonton this week.

J. S. Vanderburg and H. N. Lawlorth, of Daysland, were among the guests at the Queen's today.

G. Douglas and S. Lurve, of Cranbrook, B.C., are in the city at the Cecil.

A. E. Hawken spent couple of days in Calgary in the early part of the week.

Lieut.-Governor Bulyea was a Calgary visitor on Wednesday, returning yesterday.

B. Floard and A. N. Walker, of Red Deer, were guests at the King Edward on Wednesday.

S. Edward, the provincial superintendent of telephones, returned Wednesday from a trip to Calgary, and is stopping at the Alberta.

Jos. Desmond, of Calgary, provincial collector for the Case Thresher Company, is in the city today.

J. E. Miesner, the Stony Plain contractor, accompanied by W. R. Miesner, are visitors in the city today.

L. H. Thieme and H. Gillilck, of Paddle River, arrived in Edmonton yesterday and are stopping at the Queen's.

G. Steddick, proprietor of the Queen's Hotel at Strome, is in the city for a few days, a guest at the Imperial.

Mr. Wm. Storie and family wish to thank their many friends and neighbors for their kindness and sympathy shown to them in their sad bereavement through the loss of an affectionate wife and mother.

## MEETING OF CITY BAND.

A meeting will be held on Sunday afternoon, at 2 o'clock in the Thistle rink for the purpose of organizing the City band for the coming season. All local bandsmen, whether members or otherwise, are requested to attend.

## ROLLER RINK OPENED.

Opening night saw a splendid attendance at the Thistle roller rink last evening. The building was decorated with bunting and illuminated with red, white and blue electric lights and presented a strikingly handsome appearance. The new maple floor is perfect for the sport, and there is no dust to mar the pleasure of skaters or spectators. The band was in attendance last night, and the management will provide music several nights each week in future. The Thistle has a skating surface of 180 by 80 feet, and with the admission at 25 cents for skaters and 10 cents for spectators, is sure to be liberally patronized all season.

## Tenders for License to Cut Timber on Dominion Lands in the Province of Alberta.

Sealed tenders addressed to the Commissioner of Dominion Lands, Department of the Interior, and marked on the envelope "Tender for Timber Berth No. 1339," will be received at this Department until 12 o'clock noon on Wednesday, the 10th day of July, 1907, for a license to cut timber on Berth No. 1339, comprising lands situate in the Province of Alberta, on the Smoky River, and described as follows:

Timber Berth No. 1339. Commencing at a point on the easterly side of said Smoky River five miles up from the mouth of the Wapiti River; thence up stream six miles in direct distance with a depth of two miles on said easterly side, measured at right angles to the general bearing of said river within the Berth containing an area of twelve square miles, more or less.

The berth must be surveyed within one year after the date of the notice awarding the berth.

The regulations under which a license will be issued, also printed forms of tender and envelope, may be obtained at this Department or at the Office of the Crown Timber Agent at Edmonton, Alberta.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank in favor of the Deputy of the Minister of the Interior for the amount of the bonus which the applicant is prepared to pay for a license.

The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

No tender by telegraph will be entertained.

PERLEY G. KEYES,
Secretary.
Department of the Interior,
Ottawa, April 8th, 1907.

## WANTED.

WANTED—Dining room; apply at once, Pendennis hotel.

WANTED—Waitress also dish-washer, at the Hotel Cecil.

WANTED—Housekeeper for family of five. Apply P. O. Box 491.

WANTED—Experienced waitress. Apply Hotel Cecil.

WANTED—First-class cook. Apply to Queens Hotel, Fort Saskatchewan.

TO RENT—Small stable, close in. Apply Eclipse Livery.

WANTED—A caretaker for Grace Methodist church. Apply H. J. Saigeon, 416 Namayo Ave.

WANTED—Hustling Boy to Shine Shoes. Apply Barber Shop, Hotel Cecil.

WANTED—Teams wanted. Apply E. C. Dobell & Co., McDougall street, south of Jasper. t-f

WANTED—Instructions on guitar; morning or evening. Address Bulletin, Box 14.

WANTED—40,000 acres of Canada wheat lands. Apply Great Northern Land and Inv. Co., 608 Gilfillan Block, St. Paul, Minn.

WANTED—Room, central large, in modern house; unfurnished. Apply Box 23, Bulletin.

WANTED—At once, good general servant for family of two. Apply Mrs. J. A. Hislop, Jasper avenue.

WANTED—Situation in meat market or grocery store by an experienced man. Apply Box 12, Bulletin.

WANTED—Teacher for Avon School, to commence about May 1st. Apply stating salary to J. T. Neill, Ranfurly, Alta.

WANTED—At the Acme Co., Ltd., experienced dressmaker to take charge of work room. Apply to manager.

WANTED—At once, good monoline operator, highest wages paid. Apply Chronicle Co., Strathcona, Alta.

WANTED—House to rent, six rooms, central, reasonable rent. Apply Box 37, Bulletin.

WANTED—On good improved farm property, $1,200, to be paid back in four annual payments at 8 per cent. interest. P. O. Box 10, Vegreville, Alta.

WANTED—Teacher for the Bellerose S. D. duties, to commence at once; salary fifty dollars per month, first or second class. Apply to A. P. Gillies, secretary, St. Albert, Alta.

WANTED—Good bartender for town and country trade, also cook and dining room girl. Apply Jos. Chamberlain, Leland Hotel, Leduc, Alberta.

WANTED—Position by experienced young man in office. Good stenographer, and accustomed to general office work; good references. J. MacDonald, Box 132, Woodstock, Ont.

WANTED—By two gentlemen a small house to rent, or two or three furnished or unfurnished rooms, West End preferred. Reply Box 54 Bulletin.

WANTED—For the Boulais R. C. R. C. Public School District No. 47, must be Catholic, holding first or second class certificate; salary $600 per year; duty to commence at once. Secy.-treas., St. Albert.

YOUNG NORWEGIAN — Competent stenographer typewriter and bookkeeper, with years' experience in lumber and machinery, wants position at once; talks and writes fluently English, German, and the Scandinavian languages; best of references. Apply Box 37, Bulletin.

## CHAMPIONSHIP TROPHY.

The championship trophy presented by the provincial department of agriculture to the winner in the stock judging contest at the Calgary spring show has been brought to the office of the deputy minister before being sent to the winner, Mr. T. H. Tinney, of Medicine Hat.

The trophy is a swinging silver water jug, two feet high, with a cup mounted on an ebony base with two bronze horses, one on each side. The jug bears the name of the winner and the donors. The trophy will be sent to Mr. Tinney in a few days.

Mr. Tinney won the prize from eighteen contestants who were the champions of the various local stock judging contests in the province.

## FRASER AVENUE MOVING.

Lot 15, block 4, R.L. 10, corner Clara and Fraser avenue, known as the Waverley Rooming House, owned by H. Bowan, was sold by him for $21,550, being $250 per foot for a 53 foot lot. This property was purchased by H. Bowen last January for $13,500.

## TO RENT.

TO RENT—320 acre farm, substantially fenced, 10 acres broken, good house, substantial granaries and large stable. A mile and a half from Morinville. Apply J. H. Newton, Alberta College.

STABLE TO RENT—Seven stalls and driving shed, situated between Fifth and Sixth, on Jasper. Apply C. H. Belanger, Hotel Cecil.

FOR SALE OR TO RENT—The Houston hay meadow, 608 acres, one mile from the city limits. Apply Short, Cross & Biggar, Advocates for the executors.

## FOUND.

FOUND—Bunch of 17 keys, on McDougall avenue near post office last Friday. Apply Box 10, Bulletin office.

FOUND—Pocket Book on Jasper avenue, with small sum of money. Apply 317 Fraser avenue.

## LOST.

LOST—A lady's gold watch, between Alberta college and C. N. R. Finder will be rewarded by returning to Bulletin office.

## FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—One cow and calf. Apply D. R. Fraser, Cliff street.

OXEN FOR SALE—Ten yoke of good Oxen for sale, at Leduc. Apply to John Shaw, Leduc.

FOR SALE—Four teams of heavy horses; prices right. Call at 315 Government avenue.

LOT AND SIX-ROOMED HOUSE—Boyle street; snap; must be sold by May 1st. Apply P.O. Box 417.

LOTS FOR SALE—Owner leaving city will sell below value; east and west, north of track. Apply Box 22, Bulletin.

SECOND HAND SAFES—Three Taylors, 1 Cary and 2 Halls, all in Edmonton, for sale on easy terms. Communicate with P. H. Johnson, Box 1093, Calgary.

TWO MODERN HOUSES—Parliament Buildings Site; $6,000 each. J. B. Walker & Co., Office 27, Norwood Block Jasper avenue.

FOR SALE—Must be sold at once; brand new bungalow; three rooms and cellar, painted brown and white. Terms $300 cash, balance to suit purchaser. Apply to owner, block 14, Norwood, York street.

FOR SALE—General store business; one of the best general businesses between Calgary and Edmonton. On account of sickness we are offering the entire plant for sale. We will rent or sell the building. This is a rare chance for the right party; further particulars on application to F. E. Algar & Co., Ponoka.

FOR SALE—A large well built double house, 18 rooms, full size concrete cellar and foundation, two furnaces, water ready to be connected, electric light; modern in every particular; lot 67, 12th street, south of Jasper. Price $7,000; good terms. Ducey & Gilmurray, 646 First st. Phone 165.

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Mayor Gaetz, of Red Deer, was present at the meeting of the city council last night.


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The funeral of A. Pauly, the Belgian who died this week, took place this morning from the mortuary of Moffatt, McCoppen & Bull, to St. Joachim's church, and thence to the Catholic cemetery. The funeral was attended by representatives of the Laborers' union.

Johnny Powers, the swell inside home of the Ottawa Capitals, will select the new sticks for the Edmonton team and will have them expressed here in a few days. Johnny ought to know the good ones, he's been playing the game long enough.


# A STAMPEDE SHOE SALE

We will ask you to remember the date, Saturday, April 20th, we may ask you again. You remember our Clothing Sale last Saturday, well we made big promises and we made good, did we not? The Stampede Shoe Sale goes it one better. This lot of Men's and Youths' Shoes comprises a list of sizes from 5½ to 9½—there are 212 pairs in the lot.

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**STAMPEDE SALE DAY, SATURDAY, APRIL 20th**

The following gives as accurate a list of prices and sizes as we can give in print. For the rest of the information be on hand at 8 a.m.

**SATURDAY, APRIL 20th, STAMPEDE SALE DAY**

4 pairs, size 11, Box Calf Bals, regular price $4.50, sale price $2.95
1 " " 11, " " " " " $3.25, " " $1.95
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2 " " 10½, " " and Velour, regular price $4.00, sale price $2.95
20 pairs, size 10, Box Calf Bals, Patent and Vici Congress, reg. price $2.75 and $3.50, sale price $1.95
12 pairs, size 10, Box Calf, Tan, Velour and Vici, leather lined, styles Bals, Oxford and congress, reg. $3.75 to $4.00, sale price $2.95
5 pairs, size 9½, Box Calf Velour Bals, regular $3.00, sale price $1.95
6 pairs, size 9½, Box Calf Velour Tan Bals and Blucher, regular $4.00, sale price $2.95
10 pairs, size 9½, Box Calf Velour and Patent Bals and Bluchers, reg. price $5.50, sale price $3.95
20 pairs, size 9, Box Calf, Grain, Velour, Vici and Cordovan, Bals and Bluchers, regular price $3.50, sale price $1.95
5 pairs, size 9, Velour and Box Calf and Bluchers, styles Bals and Congress, regular price $4.00, sale price $2.95
2 pairs, size 9, Patent Leather, regular price $5.50, sale price $3.95
13 pairs, size 8½, Box Calf, regular price $3.50, sale price $1.95
2 pairs, size 8, Box Calf Congress, regular $3.50, sale price $1.95
6 pairs, size 8, Box Calf Congress, regular $4.25, sale price $2.95
1 pair, size 8, Patent Leather Bal, regular $5.00, sale price $3.95
2 pairs, size 7½, Box Calf Congress, regular $3.00, sale price $1.95
2 pairs, size 7½, Patent Leather Bals, regular $4.00, sale price $2.95
5 pairs, size 7½, Box Calf Blucher and Bals, regular $5.50, sale price $3.95
7 pairs, size 7, Box Calf and Patent Oxfords and Bals, reg. price $3.00, sale price $1.95
7 pairs, size 7, Box Calf and Velour, Congress and Bals, reg. price $4.00, sale price $2.95
2 pairs, size 7, Patent, Vici Bals, reg. price $5.50, sale price $3.95
6 pairs, size 6½, Vici Oxfords and Congress, reg. price $3.00, sale price $1.95
4 pairs, size 6 1-2, Vici and Patent Bals, reg. $4.00, sale price $2.95
14 pairs, size 6 1-2, Vici, Patent and Box Calf, Bluchers and Bals, reg. price $6.00 and $5.50, sale price $3.95
31 pairs, size 6, Vici, Box Calf, Velour and Grain, styles Bals, Bluchers, Oxfords and Congress, reg. price $3.00, sale price $1.95
7 pairs, size 6, Vici, Box Calf, Velour and Grain, styles Bals, Bluchers, Oxfords and Congress, reg. price $4.00, sale price $2.95
16 pairs, size 6, Patent Calf and Box Calf, styles Bals and Bluchers, reg. price $5.50 and $6.00, sale price $3.95
11 pairs, size 5 1-2, Vici Oxfords and Box Calf Bals, reg. price $3.00, sale price $1.95
6 pairs, size 5 1-2, Vici and Box Calf Bals, reg. $5.50, sale price $3.95

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# FROM DAY TO DAY

### THE GOOD OF LIFE.

Grow old along with me!
The best is yet to be,
The last of life for which the first was made:
Our times are in His hand
Who saith, "A whole I planned,
Youth shows but half, trust God: see all, nor be afraid."—Browning.

### A COLD-BLOODED VICE.

Gambling is by instinct and nature brutal, because it is selfishness in its coldest form.—The Century Magazine.

### CHAMBERLAIN IN RETIREMENT.

At the important Intercolonial Conference being held this year in London one strong figure, dominant in the last conference, is missing.

So ill now that Mrs. Chamberlain has summoned her mother from Boston, it has been realised in England for some time that the statesman was seriously ill. Someone writing from England lately said that the southward flight of the Chamberlains, to the south of France in search of health, had a very pathetic aspect.

If the former Secretary of State for the Colonies had been a political offender, fleeing from justice, said this woman, greater secrecy could not have been observed. It is well known that Mr. Chamberlain has always been averse to the privacy of his home and family life being invaded by the newspaper reporters, and apparently this dislike has grown with his illness, but one cannot help feeling that the mystery which has enwrapt his existence for the last few months has been a mistake from some points of view, it has given rise to sinister reports regarding his condition which are not verified by those who have of late been privileged to stroll about his garden with him, enjoying the excellent cigar which no one more appreciates than that devotee of "my Lady Nicotine."

The writer was told by one of these personal friends, who had been with Mr. Chamberlain ten days before, that the absolute truth of the matter was, that always a prey to gout, Mr. Chamberlain had in the last attack suffered terribly from gout in the eyes, as well as having both hands and feet crippled for nearly three months. First of all he regained the use of his feet, which were for weeks so painful that he could not put them to the ground, and gradually his hands have become less inflamed and distorted, but the gout in the eyes is still troublesome, and the doctors have to face the problem of driving out the gout by severe remedies while the trust to a life of perfect rest and open air existence to keep the system fit for the battle against the debilitating gout medicine.

### INNOVATION IN MOURNING MODES.

Every year it becomes more evident that mourning customs are leaving the days of dusty crape lengths behind, and lessening too the amount of black worn by women on the death of relatives.

Mourning is so clearly a matter of the heart's inner feelings and not of the outer garments that it is only a matter for wonder women did not discard crape and ponderous black garments years ago.

The news that a European has been noticed in Jamaica wearing white as mourning for a relative lost in the recent catastrophe recalls the fact that the color was originally employed in many countries to indicate reverence for the dead.

In fact, the custom obtained in Europe as late as the reign of Charles VIII. of France, and in Italy, too, it lingered, though for women only, the men wearing brown. In Ethiopia the white soon changed to gray and in Egypt to yellow.

China, however, employs it to this day. Other colors have had their vogue—blue, for instance, which even now is used in Turkey, Armenia and Syria. The latter signifies the heavenly region, white stands for purity; gray and brown typify our mother earth, and black, our customary mourning color, would seem to suggest an eternity of night.

### SOCIAL.

Mrs. George Stockand will receive in future on the third Wednesday of each month.

His Lordship Bishop Legal accompanied Father Lacombe to the city yesterday from St. Albert. The latter leaves today for his Hermitage at Pincher Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Fisher, who are absent on their honeymoon, are at present in Atlantic City, and are expected this week in Ottawa, where they will spend a short time with Mr. and Mrs. Berkeley Powell before leaving for their home in Cochrane.

The marriage of Miss Marie Louis Lavergne, daughter of Mr. Louis Lavergne, M.P., to Hon. Judge Albert Malouin, of the Superior Court of Quebec, took place recently at Arthabaska. Bishop Sueur, of Nicolet, uncle of the bridegroom, officiated. The bride, who was given away by her father, wore a pale green chiffon velvet gown, trimmed with real lace, and a tulle hat. She carried a bridal rose shower bouquet. Mr. Philip Malouin, K.C., of Quebec, acted as witness for his brother. Breakfast was served at the residence of the bride's parents.

At the house of the bride's parents, at Idylwyld, Guelph, the marriage was recently celebrated of Miss Edith Alice McLachlan, to the Rev. Robert Cochrane, M.A., of Knox Church, Woodstock. The Rev. R. W. Ross, of Knox Church, Guelph, performed the ceremony, with the assistance of the Rev. Dr. Somerville and Rev. Alexander MacGillivray, both of Toronto. The bride, who wore her mother's wedding dress of white corded silk trimmed with Honiton lace, and long tule veil, which was fastened with orange blossoms, carried a bouquet of white roses. She was attended by her sister, Miss Helena McLachlan, Miss Hope McLachlan, Montreal, and Miss Alison Dickison, London. The groomsman was Mr. R. R. Cochrane, the ushers Messrs. David Dix and A. E. Hamilton, of Toronto. Mr. and Mrs. Cochrane left after the bridal supper for Toronto and New York.

### RELIEF TO THE CANTON DISTRICT.

The Chinese residents of Edmonton, most of whom are from the Canton district, have recently got word that there is considerable suffering in their home-district, entailed by the scarcity of rice and the high prices asked for it.

All the rice available is being hurried in to the Shanghai and other famine districts, with the result that more fortunate parts of China are also suffering dearth of food.

The Chinese in Edmonton have opened up a new subscription for the Canton district and Sur Ching who is in charge of the collections and about $60 collected. The Chinese are giving different amounts from $1 to $10 A few Canadian friends are also helping them.

The final result of the subscriptions to the fund will be forwarded to the offices of the Chung Wah Way Quon in Victoria, B. C., which league acts ordinarily as a charitable organisation to Chinese in hard luck in Canada. Now it will make a return from Chinese in Canada to their countrymen at home.


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# WESTERN ITEMS

Seeding operations are in full swing now at Maple Creek.

Regina capitalists will start a soda water factory at Moose Jaw

The ferry at Medicine Hat commenced business on Monday.

37,392 pounds of butter were made at Evarts creamery last season.

The real estate licenses produced $2,000 for the municipal funds at Lethbridge.

Calgary claims it will have the first free delivery of mail in Western Canada

Already there are a large number of swans on Hay lake, near Maple Creek.

The Moose Jaw Steam Laundry Co. has sold its business to the Eureka Laundry Co.

The Royal Hotel, Taber, is to be enlarged to double its present capacity.

355 settlers from the States passed through Fernie last year, all heading for Alberta.

Street watering will cost Medicine Hat $6 a day this year for each team and man employed.

Bishop Reeve is asking for donations to build a new church and episcopal residence at Athabasca landing.

$17,000 is still needed to complete the fund desired for Calgary's Y. M. C. A. building and equipment.

The Grey Nuns of St. Boniface will erect two new hospitals in the West, one at Regina and one at Saskatoon.

L. H. Doll was fined $50 at Calgary, yesterday, for starting a three-storey block on a two-storey permit.

The freight traffic for the past month has been the greatest in the history of the C.P.R. in Lethbridge.

B. P. Alford, a Red Deer rancher, who wintered 200 head of cattle, only lost two steers throughout the entire winter.

Mr. Rappell has quit the Merchants Bank at Red Deer to go into the real estate business at Wetaskiwin.

The Massey estate, Toronto, will contribute $5000 to the Calgary Y. M. C. A. provided the people of the city furnish $90,000

After a sojourn in Boissevain of about nine months, W. H. Barry, V. S., left on Friday for Cartwright, whence he came.

Red Deer has two dozen real estate offices and the council will likely impose a license fee of $25 on each of them.

Two more rooms will be built on to Raymond's public school, and ten teachers will be engaged at midsummer.

Lacombe Agricultural society will secure a larger fair ground if the present property they own sells for $12,000.

Saskatchewan Government will erect new and commodious court houses at Battleford, Saskatoon and Moose Jaw this year.

The congregation of St. Joseph's Roman Catholic church at Moose Jaw have now a resident pastor in the person of Rev. L. P Gravel

A show and sale of purebred horses will be held at Cardston on April 20, under the auspices of the Alberta Fairs association.

Carlyle, Sask., school board have decided to have fire escapes placed on their new school building, and also to have fire drill in the school.

At Medicine Hat experiments are being made to ascertain if gas can be successfully stored and used for fuel in the C.P.R. yard engines.

The Alberta Government poultry fattening stations are to be established at the 40 places where the Government creameries are established.

Wood & Grundy of Toronto paid a premium of $9,717 on their purchase of $20,000 of 20 year debentures issued by Cardston council.

A three-story, 25-bedroom, cement block hotel will be built at the corner of Railway and Allan streets, Lacombe, this year.

Rev. S. Ryall of Oak Lake, Man., the new Curate of the Church of the Redeemer at Calgary, preached his first sermon in his new charge on Sunday.

Melicine Hat ratepayers will vote on the question of loaning the Medicine Hat Milling Co. $7,000 for seven years, without interest to enable them to build an elevator.

At the last meeting of the Medicine Hat council it was decided to shut off the gas and water of all delinquents after May 10th.

Medicine Hat hotels are all overcrowded, and to provide sleeping quarters for visitors all the vacant stores and shops in the city are being furnished.

There is talk that after the 17th there will be five way freight daily out of Red Deer, two to Strathcona, two out of the Wetaskiwin branch to Hasdisty, and one out of Lacombe branch to Stettler.

There is a strong possibility that Mrs. Fiske, the leading actress on the American stage, will appear in one of her celebrated roles in Moose Jaw or Regina at an early date.


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# SPORTING NEWS

**CLEARED $8 PE RCLUB.**

Clubs in the city hockey league should all start next season with a small balance to the good. Yesterday Secretary Gillesp's mailed to the treasurer of each team a cheque for $6.25, the amount coming to each of the clubs after all the league expenses had been paid. Besides returning this amount to each of the clubs the league has an outfit of goal nets, pucks and bells to the good. The only revenues the association had were the membership fees, one exhibition game and dposits with protests and for certificates for new players after the season had opened.

**PROVINCIAL LACROSSE LEAGUE.**

The announcement that the Lethbridge lacrosse club organization meeting will not be held till late in April is pretty good evidence that the convention of delegates to organize the Alberta lacrosse league will not be held until early in May, as it would be unwise to call the delegates together to arrange for a provincial series of games until it is definitely known how many places will enter twelves in the association.

Medicine Hat is the newest centre to throw up its hat for the Alberta league. That city was expecting to cut a big figure in he Crow's Nest league, but it is not likely to materialize this year and now the Hat wants to get into the new western association, and would like to make connections in a district embracing Edmonton, Strathcona, Olds, Red Deer, Wetaskiwin and Calgary.

**LACROSSE AT CALGARY.**

The admirers of Canada's national game at Calgary are looking for a great season's sport in that city this year, though there was very little doing in this line in 1906.

It is estimated there are now at least two dozen stick handlers in the city who nkow the game and are anxious to play and there is sure to be considerable new material blow into town in the next few months. There is a complete outfit of sticks, uniforms, goal nets, etc., available, which were purchased a year ago, and only a little financial assistance is required to set the club up in business.

The city will certainly have a team in the Alberta league, and will take a strong stand for the rigid enforcement of the amateur rule as defined in Eastern athletic circles. Already an invitation has been received for games at Strathcona on May 23 and 24 and the university town will likely be obliged wit hat least one match.

**LACROSSE.**

This is going to be an off year for the game in Manitoba.

Medicine Hat will have senior and junior twelves this year. The same colors will be worn by each club.

To date Calgary team has been invited to play at Medicine Hat, Lethbridge and Strathcona on May 24th.

Looks as if there would be only two clubs in the senior series in the Manitoba section of the Western Canada league.

Toronto lacrosse enthusiasts will have to pay 75c for reserve seats at the big league games this year. The price was half a dollar previously.

Regina has the drag net out already for players and Billy Millan and Alex McCarry, the star defence men of the Winnipeg team in 1906, have been secured.

Tommy Wilkinson, formerly of Westminster, Orillia, Toronto, Tecumsehs, and numerous other teams, goes to Fort William this year to manage a hotel and incidentally play a little lacrosse.

Ex-president Miller, of the C.L.A. who is taking a team to Australia has written Medicine Hat to see if an exhibition game can be arranged in that city en route for the Antipodes. Steps may also be made at Regina and Calgary.

The executive of the Moose Jaw club are attempting to arouse lacrosse enthusiasts throughout Saskatchewan with a view to organising a provincial league. A meeting will be held at Regina before the end of the month to talk the matter over.

Johnny Powers, the swell inside home of the Ottawa Capitals, will select the new sticks for the Edmonton team and will have them expressed here in a few days. Johnny ought to know the good ones, he's been playing the game long enough.

The executive of the Edmonton team will have Lethbridge or one of the other fast southern twelves here for a game on May 24th if satisfactory arrangements can be made.

If Mr. Miller ever gets that C.L.A. aggregation of his as far as Vancouver on their Australia trip, the exhibition game they will play in the Terminal City will be against an all star twelve gathered from the best teams in British Columbia

Alf. Smith, of Ottawa hockey fame, and who once played a rough and ready brand of lacrosse for the Torontos, has received an offer to go to Chicago and coach the lacrosse team there. That Alf. could teach them a few tricks, no one who ever played against him is prepared to deny.

It is stated in lacrosse circles that Alex. Turnbull, the veteran centre-fielder of the New Westminster team, who has made such a splendid and famous record playing for the Royal City, will shortly remove to Vancouver, as he has been offered a splendid position there, and may take a prominent part in lacrosse circles in the Terminal City.

**BASEBALL.**

The Western Canada league pennant and medals are now on exhibition at Medicine Hat.

The contract for fencing in the new grounds at Medicine Hat has been let. The work will cost $942.

Manager Dugdale claims Seattle will have the fastest outfield of any team in the Coast league this year.

An old-timer from the States, now resident at Medicine Hat, has been secured to lay out the Gas Meter's new field.

Quinn, the new Calgary catcher, claims to hold the record for the state of Massachusetts for long distance throwing.

Wonder where Pitcher Mason, he of the seventeen years' big league experience, was when the boys had their picter took.

Intermediate players should turn out for practise on the old baseball grounds on Second street tonight. The club will be organized after the work out.

A. E. Humphries, the publicity agent with the Lethbridge team, will join the aggregation at La Crosse, Wis., next week. He leaves on the 24th.

Edmonton expects to open the season on the new grounds. The fence has been torn down from around the old Second street field and will be used to enclose the new park.

The Albertan says Calgary has the "third strongest Canadian baseball aggregation," but the paper might have gone further and said the two superior teams were located at Edmonton and Lethbridge.

James Fleming is in receipt of a photo of the Medicine Hat baseball team taken at Cincinnati. They are a likely looking bunch—all young and out to make a name for themselves.—Times.

Just before leaving for Spokane, President Nutts of the Edmonton club received from Secretary Sarrell of the American Baseball association a complimentary pasteboard that will admit him to any game on any grounds where organized baseball is played in Canada or United States.

Medicine Hat team is playing exhibition games on Sundays across the line. Manager Niersheimer had better omit these Sabbath games or the Lord's Day Alliance people may boycott the team's games at the Hat just to square accounts.


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# B.C. GOVERNMENT HOLDING UP G.T.P.

### Will not Permit Railway on Indian Reserve and Work is at a Stanstill.

Vancouver, April 16.—To be assured that the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway Company is heeding the warning not to encroach upon the Indian reserve at Kaien Island, the Provincial Government is maintaining a provincial constable on the spot permanently. All work upon the reserve, which adjoins the townsite bought by the railway company from the Government, has been suspended. One large building, the foundations of which extended over on the reserve, remains in an uncompleted state as a consequence of the order that there must be no trespass upon the Indian lands.

Information received today from a man who has just returned from Prince Rupert is to the effect that little work is now being carried on there because of the failure of the railway company to secure the Indian lands. It is stated that the topography of that portion of the reserve adjoining the original townsite is such that the Indian lands would serve better for a townsite than the lands now held by the Grand Trunk Pacific.

**Surveyors Go to Prairies.**

In the north it is a matter of accepted belief that the railway company never really intendedo to build a new terminus on the ten thousand acres bought from the Government of British Columbia.

Failing to get the Indians lands, the Grand Trunk Pacific Company has now a few men engaged in clearing a site on its own land for the projected hotel, but even should the work be prosecuted more actively than is now the case, the hotel cannot possibly be ready for occupation for many months.

Many of the surveyors engaged in laying out the townsite lines and the railway route on Kaien Island have already been transferred from Prince Rupert to the prairies, and more of the staff is ready to follow just as soon as arrangements to leave the northern camp can be made.

**When Will Lots Be Sold?**

In view of the peculiar position in which the Grand Trunk Pacific now finds itself, people are wondering if the townsite of Prince Rupert will ever see the market this year, as its promoters announced many months ago would be the case. It is coming to be the general belief that there will be no lots sold in Prince Rupert this year.

# START RATIONAL SUNDAY LEAGUE

### Toronto Men Organize to Secure more Liberty on the Sabbath.

Toronto, April 18.—A number of gentlemen met yesterday afternoon and organized the Canadian Rational Sunday League. Letters were read from Professor Goldwin Smith and several others, approving of the movement and promising their support.

The following resolutions were unanimously passed:

"That it is desirable to organize an association similar to the London Rational Sunday League, for promoting healthy and innocent recreation on Sundays, and to oppose tyrannical and restrictive legislation regarding Sunday, and it is felt that recent legislation on this subject has been carried too far, interfering with individual liberty to an extent unknown in any other country under the British flag.

**Out Against Legislation.**

"That this association be called the Canadian Rational Sunday League, and that its declared objects be:

"To promote rational Sunday recreation.

"To secure the opening of picture galleries, museums and reading rooms on Sundays.

"To provide music on Sunday afternoons in the parks or other convenient places.

"To obtain legislation allowing a charge to be made for popular Sunday lectures or concerts, and

"To oppose restrictive legislation regarding Sunday observance.

**Subscribe $500.**

"That the annual fees for membership be $1; life members, $10, and that the following gentlemen be a committee to formulate plan of organization and nominate officers and report at the next meeting. Professor Goldwin Smith, H. P. Dwight, James L. Hughes, Major W. H. Orchard, Peter Ryan, G. A. Grahsim, L. Robertson, W. C. Fox, W. J. Moody, J. S. Granatstein, D. W. Livingstone, D. G. Lorsch, E. Meek with power to add to their number.

"That J. Enoch Thompson be requested to act pro tem. as secretary-treasurer."

Before the meeting adjourned over $500 was promised or subscribed towards the enterprise.

# WILL DEVELOP THE COAL MINES

### At Medicine Hat. Minneapolis Co., Will do This. Other Hat News.

Special to the Bulletin.

Medicine Hat, April 18.—The school board decided last night to erect a new high school building, and $50,000 will be raised to purchase a site and meet the cost of construction. The site selected is a very fine one overlooking the whole city.

Francis F. Fatt, who recently retired from the postmastership, has been presented with a cabinet of solid silver tableware by his friends.

J. L. Brown, of the Royal hotel, has leased the Maple Leaf hotel at Maple Creek.

The city council has decided to extend the gas system to the corporation limits to meet the need of two large brick manufacturing concerns, the plants for which are now being installed.

Representatives of the western canneries who are touring the west asked the city council for a bonus to secure the industry. The council will communicate with the board at Winnipeg.

The R. R. Stoner Land company, of Minneapolis, which recently purchased the 72,000 acre Stair farm and sold it in small parcels, is responsible for the incorporation of the Medicine Hat Coal and Brick company which will develop the coal mines and clay deposits on 600 acres of the Stair farm which were reserved. The company intends boring for gas at the outset of operations and will instal an electric line from the city. The stock is all held by seven Minneapolis men and is not on the market. S. J. Hewson of the Menonamea Brick Co., of Minnesota, which supplies the Canadian west with most of is pressed brick is a large stockholder and has been in the city all week.

### FATHER LACOMBE'S EIGHTIETH ANNIVERSARY.

The eightieth birthday of Father Lacombe, the veteran Oblate missionary, occurred during his recent visit to Montreal and was celebrated royally there by his friends.

The Archbishop's palace was his for the day, and the aged missionary's guests included such different personalities as the C. P. R.'s president and vice-president and humble country pastors.

Since his return to the West the opportunity is being taken to celebrate the occasion in a quiet fashion here. On Wednesday night the Convent of St. Albert was the scene of a delightful entertainment at which the guests of honor were the venerable missionary, after whom St. Albert was named several decades ago, and His Lordship Bishop Legal.

The programme, which was in part carried out by the Indian pupils, consisted of various drills, songs and several enjoyable mandolin selections by a group of eight Indian girls. The latter had been taught by Rev. Father Wolravens, of Wetaskiwin, an accomplished musician.

The musical drills included the tambourine features; a good-night drill in which the little girls appeared with dolls and candles and one very cleverly done with balls.

Over the stage a long banner extended on which the legend "1627 St.Sulpice—1907, St. Albert," told in epitome the long days of the guest of the evening. A pleasing address was read by a tiny boy from Pincher Creek, to which Pere Lacombe responded in his inimitable way.

Excellent orchestral music was furnished throughout the evening by a band of Indian boys.

### TO CONTRACTORS.

Tenders are invited to be sent in by noon of 20th April to the undersigned for Plastering, Painting, etc., for the Bank of Montreal, Edmonton.

Specifications and plans may be seen at the office of R. Percy Barnes, Architect, 141 Jasper Avenue, West, Edmonton.

# TO BEAUTIFY SCHOOL GROUNDS

### Public School Board will Undertake this. Large Increase in Attendance at Schools.

An important movement was inaugurated by the Public School Board at its last meeting. The Chairman introduced the matter of school grounds. It is felt by the board that in addition to providing first class accommodation for pupils that the schools, being public buildings, should be an adornment to the city. So far the work of the board in housing the children has meant a large sacrifice of time on their part, but an energetic campaign is being opened for beautifying the surroundings of the permanent buildings. It is proposed that at Queen's avenue the front part of the premises should be separated from the rear, and that it should be laid out in flower plots, sown to grass and that ornamental trees and shrubs should be planted.

At McKay avenue likewise the ground margin on the street will be similarly looked after. The details are not fully decided upon, but the work will be well done in the near future.

The school population of the city, an undeniable evidence of the growth of Edmonton, continues to show an increase. The report of the superintendent of city schools for attendance at the beginning of the spring term shows a decided advance over that of March. Of new pupils entering school for the first time, in the four schools the number is 82. This still leaves an increase of 44 pupils entering the different grades from outside, and the number of these is increasing every week. The backward weather is somewhat delaying the increase of newcomers, and it is expected that the number of these will not be less than 100 for the spring term, making a total increase of 182.

**More Rooms Needed.**

If this expectation is fulfilled it will require the opening of another room immediately in addition to the two which are being opened in North Syndicate this week.

The largest increase so far has been in McKay avenue school, where 50 new pupils have been received. This indicates a rapid growth in the west end, but, on the other hand, the east end is served by four schools. The addition of the rooms which have just been opened still leaves the enrolment per room rather high, being about 46 pupils per teacher. It has been the case in other years, however, that quite a number of pupils have quit school with the actual opening of spring work. So that the present distribution of pupils may bring the enrolment more nearly to the 40 mark, which is about the number the school board aims to allot to each teacher.

The new schools on Syndicate avenue will make it possible to carry on the work without congestion until the summer holidays. But it is more than probable that a temporary school will have to be erected in the west end for school opening after the midsummer holidays. The distance which some of the west end pupils have to walk would make it advisable to afford local facilities for the junior grades in this part of the city.

**Salaries Again.**

The question of school salaries is again before the board. A committee has been appointed to revise the schedule. This has become necessary in view of the extension of ward schools, the principals of which have hitherto been on the same basis as teachers in charge of rooms in the grade below. It will probably be found necessary to consider the question of remuneration for all grades of teachers.

Miss H. MacSteven, at present in the Queen's avenue stac, will be in charge of the North Syndicate avenue school.

### BIRTH.

Johnston—April 14th, to Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Johnston, Edmonton, a daughter.

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## IS THE C.P.R. AFTER MACKENZIE?

In the debate on the Blairmore townsite incident in the House on Friday last the puzzle was to determine whether the chief objective of assault was the Department of the Interior or Mr. Malcolm MacKenzie, M.P.P. of Macleod. The war was waged with not more fury about the action of the Department than about Mr. MacKenzie, his conduct, his politics and his possessions. It was asserted, repeated and re-repeated by an adroit perversion of the language of the court that Mr. MacKenzie had "obtained the land through fraud" and the users of this equivocal language were at no pains to explain that the fraud had not been committed by Mr. MacKenzie but by another and without his knowledge, consent or suggestion. The conspicuous discrepancy between the persistent repetitions of the equivocal statement and the very casual admission of the exonerating circumstance was so apparent that nothing short of a direct charge could have been better calculated to give to the House and the country that Mr. MacKenzie had personally made fraudulent representations or had secured such representations upon the strength of which he had secured the land.

Another line of attack deliberately pressed against Mr. MacKenzie was the fact that he was a Liberal in politics, had been a Liberal candidate in a Federal election and was now a member of the ligislature of Alberta and a supporter of the Liberal Government of that province. These facts were repeated and reiterated as if supplying in themselves all necessary evidence that his claims to the land were ill-founded and providing good and sufficient reason why his title to ownership should be set aside. This was the half-expressed but ill-concealed grievance which gave the under-tone to the entire discussion and was solemnly paraded in the resolution to which the Opposition were pleased to attach their speeches.

Yet another ground of offence was found against Mr. MacKenzie—that the land in question had become valuable. The mover of the resolution estimated it at a value of from $100,000 to $200,000 or cited others who did so. Forthwith the ears of Opposition gentlemen pricked up. "Western lands" is a soul stirring topic with certain of them these days and at the appalling suggestion of a Grit holding land valued at $200,000 "Billy" Bennett dropped his Eye-Opener while the dull-grey visage of Hon. Geo. E. Foster emerged from under his hat—a duller grey than usual. The figures probably were suggestive—the sum was exactly the rake-off gathered in on the first shuffle of the Pope-Fowler land. Whether the disturbing emotion was envy or recollection it apparently was overpowering for neither Mr. Foster nor Mr. Bennett were in their seats in the evening. Whether they were weeping tears of jealousy or repenting in privacy will probably never be known. Meantime their less sensitive or less acquisitive friends continued to assail Mr. MacKenzie because the land was valuable. What earthly connection the value of the land could have to the question of its ownership they did not deign to inform the House but coolly took the position that the land was valuable—therefore it should be taken from the possessor forthwith.

That the administration of the Department of the Interior past and present is a proper subject for parliamentary debate is not a matter open for argument and those who introduce such debate are quite within their right and duty, but why this simultaneous assault on the character of a gentleman not at all connected with that Department and having no privilege of defending himself on the floor of parliament? The mover of the resolution was careful to announce that he held no brief for Mr. Lyon or any other claimant but was asking simply for the dis-possession of Mr. MacKenzie and his lead was followed faithfully by his colleagues. That any other claimant was dissatisfied with the finding of the Exchequer Court was not advanced as a reason for introducing the subject into parliament. The Opposition occupied therefore the position of having either brought up the subject of their own violation and in the hope of scoring a political point by the defamation of private character or speaking for some party or parties whose interests were not more concerned in discrediting the Department of the Interior than in destroying the reputation of Mr. MacKenzie.

Now if it was competent to consider in connection with this matter the political complexion of Mr. MacKenzie, his political ambitions and his political standing it surely is quite as proper to consider also his political accomplishments. If it was fair to launch an inference from his political convictions and associations it surely is quite as fair to launch an inference also from his political performances. If it was competent to avow Mr. MacKenzie's political relationship as an excuse for an attack for which no other excuse was offered, it surely is quite as proper to search in Mr. MacKenzie's political record for the real motive and cause which lies behind the excuse.

Has Mr. MacKenzie then initiated or espoused any cause likely to draw upon him the hostility of an element in Western politics powerful enough to demand revenge at the hands of the Opposition? The outstanding event in Mr. MacKenzie's political record was the movement for the taxation of railway companies. This movement Mr. MacKenzie originated, developed, and advocated until it was transmuted into law and carried into execution, to the satisfaction and benefit of the people of Alberta and the corresponding cost and displeasure of the railway companies.

During the campaign for the provincial elections in Alberta Mr. MacKenzie announced a plan by which the Canadian Pacific Railway exemption might be evaded. His plan was that while the C.P.R. main line was exempt the province should simply assess and tax the branch lines heavily enough to mak eup to the provinces the loss sustained by the exemption of th emain line. Upon this question of how to tax the Canadian Pacific Railway rested the whole question of whether or not the railways of the province should or should not be taxed, for if the older and stronger company could not be taxed it would only be confirming and entrenching its monopolistic features to tax its younger and weaker competitor.

That the Canadian Pacific Railway appreciated the situation was immediately revealed an dall the influence that company could command was thrown into the figth against Mr. MacKenzie and every other Liberal candidate in the province. Fortunately the people of Alberta also appreciated the position and the Government endorsed by overwhelming majority. One of the bills passed at the first session of the legislature coined Mr. MacKenzie's plan into law and forthwith the railways of the province became tax-payers. By reason of this movement begun and advocated by Mr. MacKenzie the C.P.R. finds itself up against a new proposition and a somewhat disagreeable one, that of paying taxes to the province of Alberta.

That this will be either forgotten or forgiven neither Mr. MacKenzie nor any other Liberal member in Alberta need imagine, and that the Canadian Pacific Railway will call upon its friends and allies wherever and however possible to wreck vengeance upon the originator of the fell design may be assured. Throughout Western Canada the Conservative party and the Canadian Pacific Railway go hand-in-hand and under normal conditions it would doubtless be left to the corporation's allies in Alberta's avenge the taxation of the company. But the unholy alliance is not in normal condition in Alberta today and the two lone survivors of the fray have not even weight enough to launch a slander. What more natural than that the Federal Opposition should be called upon to discharge the service to the common ally which the Alberta detachment is not in a position to discharge? That the assault was in parliament directed against Mr. MacKenzie simply and solely on the ground that he was a Liberal, had been a candidate in a Federal election and is now a member of the Alberta legislature is quite as good evidence as is needed that the Federal Opposition stands prepared to knife the character of the provincial legislator who dares consider the interest of his province superior to the interest of the C.P.R.

## THE PARLIAMENTARY COUNCIL.

The double vote of the mayor was the means of passing the exclusive or monopoly feature of the natural gas franchise at the council meeting on Tuesday evening. The result is not of very great consequence as it has to be voted upon by the ratepayers, but the ruling of his worship by which he gave a second vote is as amusing a piece of comic opera politics as has been seen in this city. By some stretch of imagination the mayor seems to have fancied himself the chairman of a private bills committee with a real live private bill before it and it is not to be wondered that a man with an imagination like that would easily fancy himself as good as two ordinary aldermen.

It is not quite clear whether he first found the convenient ruling in Bourinot and then worked in the private bills idea to serve the purpose, or whether he always fancied a motion in the city council was a private bill in the House of Commons and Bourinot just naturally played his part. Or perhaps he is trying to fashion his administration after that of the late Ex-Mayor Howland of Toronto who styled his controllers cabinet ministers until the public laughed him out of it. Of course it is natural for the mayor to think in the terms of parliament for has he not been trying to teach the city aldermen the rules and ethics of parliamentary proceedure, demanding that they stand uncovered before his worship when they speak, while he goes on with unlimited license to violate the first rule of order by making speeches and offering advice without leaving the chair or troubling to stand up. And the most amusing feature of the whole proceedings is that he is serious through it all.

EDIT.

## NOTE AND COMMENT.

The Duma will be a milepost along a tedious ,dark and bloody pathway.

The real surprise of the season is that the Duma has lasted a month without dissolution.

There was no mollycoddling in Aylesworth's reply to Foster on the insurance report debate.

Where does Harriman stand? asks a Chicago daily. At the mention of Roosevelt he stands at "attention."

A wreck on the railroads of this country is becoming as frequent as a runaway in the streets of Edmonton.

Damascus, the oldest city in the world, is now lighted by electricity and is in the race with Edmondton for street cars.

Mr. Foster is just giving the excuse of every man caught in wrongdoing. He thinks the law and the ten commandments are specially instituted to crush him.

Independent of what may or may not be said about the Insurance Inquiry can Mr. Foster explain by what ethical law he can justify his action in using Union Trust funds, and I. O. F. funds, primarily designed to pay the claims of orphans and the widowed beneficiaries of the order, for speculative purposes, and reap a profit of $200,000, which he and his fellow buccaneers put in their own pockets.

Mr. Geo. Fowler, M.P., threatens his opponents with certain "data" he presumes to possess. We know he has data somewhere in concealment,—for example the data the public would like to have explaining why Mr. Fowler was paid $220,000 by the Union Trust Company for an option on a certain British Columbia lumber property who nthe amount really called for by the option was only $170,000. To whom did Mr. Stevenson, supreme counsellor of the I.O.F., refer when he said of this transaction, "We have been swindled out of $55,000?"

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# BELGIANS GO TO COURT OVER $1,600

### Alleged That Petit, who is in Custody, Stole Money From Partner.

As the result of a complaint laid yesterday before Magistrate Cowan by Charles Corbiere, of Fort Saskatchewan, Antoine Petit was last night arrested and is now at the police station awaiting a hearing.

The charge is that the defendant in October last received from the complainant the sum of $1,600 to deposit in one of the banks at Edmonton and instead of doing so used the money for his own business, thereby stealing it.

The facts of the case are that the two men who are Belgians last summer formed a partnership to conduct a ranching business.

A dispute arose between them and part of the money that Petit then held he retained as a contra account against Corbriere. The case was tried recently in the Supreme court and resulted in a verdict for the plaintiff for $1,100. The criminal action now taken is a result of the decision recently handed down in the civil suit.

Noel, Noel & Cormack are acting for the plaintiff, and Gariepy & Landry for the defendant.

### Dropped Dead at Depot.

Associated Press Despatch.

Brockville, April 18—Geo. O'Neill, a traveller for a wholesale grocery in Montreal, dropped dead at the Grand Trunk depot today. He came from the east with the intention of going north by the C. P. R. He was about 65 years of age and was one of the oldest drummers on the road.

### New Governor of Porto Rico.

Associated Press Despatch.

San Juan, Porto Rico, April 18—Regis H. Post was inaugurated governor of Porto Rico today in succession to Beekman Winthrop, who retires to become assistant secretary of the treasury at Washington.

### The Swag Was Recovered.

Associated Press Despatch.

St. Paul, Minn., April 18—The $25,000 stolen from the office of the Northern Express company at the Union depot Tuesday night was recovered today by the police. John Gunderson, who was arrested on suspicion Wednesday, confessed today to the police, where he had hidden the money. Officers who were sent to the place indicated by Gunderson found the money in three packages.

### Trying to Stop Hostilities.

Associated Press Despatch.

Washington, April 18—Chargerown telegraphed the state department today from Amalsca, Honduras, that the representatives of Salvador and Nicaragua appointed for the purpose, today began a conference with the obect of arbitrating the differences. His despatch did not indicate the result of the meeting.

### DIED IN BARDO.

Mr. James Jones, father of T. H. Jones, of this city, and of E. W. Jones, of Strathcona, died at Bardo, Alta., on April 18th, and his body, which was brought to the city, is lying at the mortuary of Moffatt, McCoppen & Bull on Rice street. The deceased, who had been in the west for fifteen years, was 77 years of age. The funeral will take place to-morrow afternoon at 3 p.m. from the offices of Moffatt, McCoppen & Bull to Edmonton cemetery.

### A BIG LINE UP.

At the police court this morning five drunks lined up before Magistrate Cowan to answer for their misdeeds of yesterday. All confessed to the charges of drunkenness and disorderly conduct preferred against them by the chief, and were each fined $5 and costs.

A young Galician, who recently arrived in the city, was found wandering in a First street yard early this morning, and was gathered in by the police. In his possession was found a bag of carpenter's tools, a bicycle pump, and other small wares. This forenoon a representative of the First street employment agency called at the police station, and said he had given the lad permission to sleep in the office all night as he was hard up. He failed, however, to identify any of the equipment found on the prisoner, and the latter is being held pending an explanation as to where he secured the tools.

### WANT COUNCIL TO OPPOSE LICENSES.

At the Edmonton council of the Royal Templars of Temperance on Tuesday night a resolution was passed asking the city council to do all in its power to oppose the issue of the two restaurant licenses now being applied for in the city. There was also a long discussion in reference to the formation of an anti-treating league in Edmonton.


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## In Securing a Non-exclusive Franchise--Council Bucks on Points Admitting of any Argument --Got Through Whole Agreement With Exception of Three Clauses.

There isn't any chance of the International Heating and Lighting Co. getting anything more than is coming to them from the city council. This is the Cleveland company which has applied for a non-exclusive artificial gas franchise. Considerable opposition to the proposed franchise was developed at the adjourned meeting of the council held last night to consider the draft agreement between the city and the company. Despite this fact, however, the whole agreement was gone over and approved with the exception of three clauses.

When the council convened, Alderman Smith at the mayor's suggestion, moved that the council resolve itself into a committee on private bills. The obvious intention of this motion was to make it possible for the mayor to vote twice if he so desired, and to make his position technically unassailable in the event of his doing so. But the motion was lost.

Then Alderman Walker moved the council go into a committee of the whole. This carried.

The turn didn't ruffle the mayor but he made a statement which demonstrated just where he stood.

**Would Vote Twice Anyway.**

"I would like to point out," he said, "that I gave a ruling on just this point and whether you like it or not, I shall vote the same as I did before, If I am compelled to do so. That is I shall vote twice if it becomes necessary. This is actually a committee considering a private bill."

The matter dropped here, and at no time during the discussion of the agreement was the mayor called upon to vote either twice or at all.

**Opposed From the Start.**

Alderman Picard announced his position at the opening of the ceremonies, as unalterably opposed to considering the granting of a franchise to the artificial company at all.

"I would not be against granting this company a franchise," he said, "if it were to come to this council and apply for one at the end of two years. This would permit of finding out whether the natural gas company were successful in locating gas.

"It is not in the interests of the city to have two companies lay mains in the city streets. But apart from that, it is morally certain that the natural gas company's franchise will be defeated when it goes before the people because the exclusive feature of the agreement is not understood. This will permit of the artificial gas company, if we give them a franchise jumping into the natural gas company's boots.

"And moreover by giving this company a non-exclusive franchise it will be tieing up the city more securely than the exclusive franchise of the natural gas company, for the reason that under this artificial gas company's proposed agreement the prices are fixed, while under the natural gas company's franchise the city has the right to regulate the rates."

Cyrus S. Eaton, the representative of the company, who together with his solicitor, Mr. Grant, were present, stated that under the proposed agreement the rates of the artificial gas company could be regulated at any time.

Acting Solicitor Wallbridge added a rider to this statement by saying that to secure a regulation of the prices it would be necessary to go to law each time a regulation was desired.

**As to Prices.**

"I would like to know if the city of Regina gave this company only a 15 year franchise?" queried Alderman Gariepy.

"No, the franchise was for 20 years," replied Mr. Eaton.

The mayor asked if it would take a year from next December for the company to commence operating. Mr. Eaton's answer was to the effect that the company had intended putting in its plant this season, but this was now hardly practicable. Still he did not anticipate a year would elapse before the plant was in operation.

Clause thirteen was contentious. This clause referred to the city's option of purchasing at the end of 20 years. Mr. Eaton made the statement that it was the intention of the company to use the one plant to supply both Strathcona and Edmonton. He wanted the clause made so that in the event of the city deciding to purchase, the city should be required to purchase not only the mains in Edmonton but those in Strathcona as well. The reason for this was that if the city decided to purchase only the plant in Edmonton the company would have a considerable amount of dead plant on its hands. The committee would not agree to anything which would place the purchasing of the plant beyond the discretion of the council, and the clause was allowed to stand.

**The Maximum Prices.**

The clause fixing the maximum prices to be charged was held in abeyance until the question could be referred to an engineer or an expert. Mr. Eaton stated that he had no objection to the city securing expert advice on the subject, but it would not affect the scale of prices which the company purposed making. These prices, he said, were lower, in comparison, than in any other city in which franchises had been secured.

It was subsequently decided to refer the question to a committee of the council composed of Alds. Walker, Smith and the mayor to report on prices which would be considered fair.

**Insisted On It.**

It looked for a time as though there would be a split between the company and the committee when clause twenty-two was reached and was discussed. This clause refers to the prices which shall be charged by the company. It is in part as follows:

"The contractors further agree that the prices charged to consumers of gas shall not at any time exceed the average price charged by manufacturers of gas carrying on business in a city of a similar size to that of the city of Edmonton from time to time in any portion of the Dominion of Canada, or in the United States of America, due allowance being made for any difference in the price of gas-coal, gas-oil, coke and other materials COMMONLY used in the manufacture of gas, and so on."

The word commonly was where the argument hinged.

It was suggested that "commonly" be struck out altogether, it having been stated that the International company held patents by which it was able to produce gas cheaper than by coal. But Mr. Eaton insisted in the word remaining.

**His Reason for Insistence.**

"Our company may as a result of experiments being carried on at a large expense, some day discover a material by which artificial gas may be manufactured cheaper than with coal. If the company is successful and secures a patent on the method we feel that we are entitled to the benefit which would be derived from the fact that we were the only company using the process.

"On the other hand if some other company discovered a process such as this, and secured a patent on it, by cutting out the word 'commonly' we would be required to meet that company's prices. We could not compete under such conditions, for the process would be unknown to us. By leaving the clause as it is no hardship is worked on the city, for if a process were discovered by any other company, that company could be given a franchise in the city, and run us out of business.

"It is unfair to ask us to so fix our prices that we must meet any contingency of that character."

**Ald. Gariepy Insisted Too.**

Ald. Gariepy was equally as insistent as Mr. Eaton that the city should get the benefit of any discovery by which gas might be more cheaply manufactured, even if the company were the only company to whom the process was known.

The clause was finally referred to the same committee as will deal with the question of maximum prices.

**The Third Contentious clause.**

Clause twenty-nine providing for the absolute cessation of any privileges under the franchise at the end of 20 years, was also objected to by Mr. Eaton.

"That clause means that the city may simply confiscate our property, in the event of refusing to purchase, or refusing to extend our franchise. There is no clause like that in the natural gas franchise which the council has approved."

Mr. Wallbridge stated that without the clause the franchise would be practically perpetual, for although the company could not extend its mains, it could still supply gas to its consumers.

This clause was also referred to the special committee for adjustment.

The council adjourned at 11.40.

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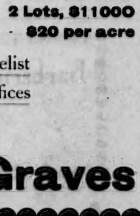

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**This Will be Recommended in Reference to C.P.R's Prince Albert Branch.**

Winnipeg, April 18—A conference between the board of trade and government railway experts who have been sent here to report on the tie up of transportation and to suggest remedies, it was stated that these officials will recommend that the government operate the Prince Albert branch of the C. N. R. in the public interest, the company having shown that its equipment is absolutely inadequate for the freight business of the system.

### CIGAR BUTT CAUSED IT.

**McGill's Recent Fire Due to Carelessness of a Member of Faculty.**

Montreal, April 18.—Although the finding of the fire committee does not indicate that the loss of the Medical building was caused by the butt of a cigar falling from the hands of a member of the faculty, everything points to this as being the correct theory of the disastrous fire which caused so great a loss to McGill university. The statement that expelled students had something to do with the fire appears to be about as untenable as the report that suspicious-looking individuals had been seen lurking around the grounds the night of the fire. One thing is pretty sure and that is the presence of the faculty in their rooms up to a late hour on Monday night. As a matter of fact the statement is made that these gentlemen left the room in question about 11 o'clock, and in about two hours that part of the building was in flames. It also came out at the investigation that it was in the faculty room where the fire started, hence the sensible deduction made by all those who have given any attention as to the origin of the disastrous fire.

### BIG LEAGUE BASEBALL.

**National.**

| | | R. | H. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| At Pittsburg— | | | | |
| Pittsburg | ..00100000x—1 | 2 | 2 | |
| Chicago | ..00000000—0 | 6 | 2 | |

Batteries: Scofield and Phelps; Brown and Moran; umpire, O'Day.

| | | R. | H. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| At Brooklyn— | | | | |
| New York | ..00000000—0 | 2 | 2 | |
| Brooklyn | ..00000210—3 | 3 | 1 | |

Batteries: Taylor and Bresnahan; Pastorious and Ritter; umpire, Rigler.

| | | R. | H. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| At Philadelphia— | | | | |
| Boston | ..20000321—8 | 10 | 6 | |
| Philadelphia | ..33013000x—10 | 8 | 5 | |

Batteries: Boules and Needham and Criger; Pittenger and Dovin; umpires, Emslie and Klein.

At St. Louis—Cincinnati-St. Louis game postponed; cold weather.

**American.**

| | | R. | H. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| At New York— | | | | |
| Philadelphia | ..20101000—4 | 9 | 0 | |
| New York | ..02200101x—6 | 9 | 2 | |

Batteries: Coombs, Vickers and Berry; Clarkson, Kee'e, Thomas and Kleinow; umpires, Evans and Hurst.

| | | R. | H. | E. |
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| At Cleveland— | | | | |
| Cleveland | ..00000000—0 | 3 | 2 | |
| Detroit | ..00000200x—2 | 6 | 0 | |

Batteries: Hess and Bemis; Mullin and Payne; umpire, O'Laughlin.

| | | R. | H. | E. |
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| At Chicago— | | | | |
| Chicago | ..00200000—2 | 8 | 1 | |
| St. Louis | ..00000000—0 | 7 | 0 | |

Batteries: Altrock and McFarland; Morgan and Buelow; umpires, Sheridan and Stafford.

| | | R. | H. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| At Boston— | | | | |
| Washington | ..11010100—4 | 9 | 2 | |
| Boston | ..00000000—0 | 4 | 1 | |

Batteries: Hughes and Blankenship; Oberlin and Shaw; umpire, Connolly.

### LACROSSE.

South Bethlehem, Pa., April 18—Lehigh and Harvard played tie game of lacrosse today, each scoring five goals. Despite an extra period of 32 minutes the tie remained unbroken.


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| Corn Beef | 5c. to 8c. ,, |
| Chuck Steaks | 4 lb. for 25c. |
| Round Steak | 10c. per lb. |

PORK.

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| Steaks | 12½c. per lb. |
| Roasts | 12½c. per lb. |

HAMS.

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| Sugar Cured | 13c. per lb. |

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